HANATOYUME COMICS

Blue Ramun
(Blue Blood)

Chapter 1

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WELL THEN, SET FORTH NOW JESSIE.
WE, THE PEOPLE OF BLUE BLOOD
IN MY FAMILY WHEN ONE TURNS 15 YEARS OLD
EXIST TO HEAL OTHER PEOPLE. DO NOT FORGET THAT...
WE LEAVE THE CARAVAN IN THE DESERT THAT WE GREW UP IN
AND HEAD FOR THE TOWNS TO SERVE AS DOCTORS
YES, GRANDMA...
Y S...
HEY!
HEY!

THE BLUE RAMUN WHO CAN CURE ALL ILLNESSES.
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TO HELP

rushes
SILKDEEP EMPIRE, LEZAK DISTRICT
RANDY!! HE GOT STABBED BY THE THIEF!
GET A DOCTOR, QUICK!
WE GOT HELP.
THE LOVELY GRAY-HAIRED POLICE TROOP CAPTAIN, EAGLE, THE MEDICINE IS OUTSIDE.
IT'S IN THE CLINIC SO DO WHAT YOU WANT.
WHAT ABOUT YOUR SUBSTITUTE, THE BLUE DOCTOR?
SHOO
SHOO
ARE YOU PLANNING ON ABANDONING MY ASSISTANT, YOU ROTTEN PRIEST!!
I KNOW, SHINE
COME TO THINK OF IT, SHE'S SUPPOSED TO COME TODAY...
drip
drip
UMM...
TAP
TAP

!?
A, ARE YOU ALL RIGHT!?
A WOUNDED MAN GOT CARRIED HERE JUST NOW...
shing
I'LL APPLY FIRST AID RIGHT AWAY...
opens
SLAM

YOU ARE...
DRIP
!?
DRIP
Ah.
THE DOCTOR FROM THE "BLUE PEOPLE" THAT WE'VE BEEN WAITING FOR JESSIE JACKSON
..RIGHT? MS. BLUE-EYED LADY?
...!
I, I'M SORRY! I FORGOT TO INTRODUCE MYSELF!
I WILL BE IN CHARGE OF THIS DISTRICT STARTING TODAY.
NICE TO MEET YOU!
bows
DOCTOR ... PLEASE ..HEAL HIM...
AH! SORRY!
panics
panics
IN THIS HOPE THAT I CAME TO,

At one time, a huge number of Blue-blooded people were slaughtered for their blood.
But now it doesn't happen anymore.
In every district, there is a doctor from the blue-blooded people who serves as an attending physician.
There are many places who look to the Shinto Priests as temporary doctors.
As expected, you've practiced doing sutures.
As I thought, your knowledge and skills are both on exceptionally different levels.
Priests too have mastered medicine but,

YES.
EVEN WHEN I WAS STILL A KID I'VE BEEN CONTINUOUSLY TRAINED IN THE CARAVAN.
BLUE RAMUNS ARE A QUICK AND EFFECTIVE CURE-ALL.
SO ITS FINE TO USE OUR BLOOD AS IT IS IN CASE OF EMERGENCIES, BUT
BUT THANK GOODNESS .. MY FIRST JOB WAS A SUCCESS""
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT? YOU GOT AN OLD WOUND TOO...
I, I'M FINE! BLUE PEOPLE LIKE ME HEAL QUICKER THAN NORMAL.
gets up
THE WOUND FROM BEFORE ALREADY
USUALLY WE INCLUDE MEDICINAL PLANTS AND FIT IT ACCORDING TO THE ILLNESS AND MAKE IT AS BASE.
THEN WE ADJUST THE STRENGTH OF THE MEDICINE TO THE AMOUNT OF BLOOD AND MIX SEVERAL DROPS INTO IT.
...OH THE SCARS STILL REMAIN...
Haa
.....
JESSIE.

BECAUSE YOU BLUE PEOPLE,
WITHOUT HESITATION,
HEAL ALL OUR WOUNDS...
...Eh!?
DONT...
OVEREXERT YOURSELF.

HEY, JESSIE.
THE GRANNY LIVING BEHIND US HAS GOT SOME BACK PROBLEMS, WON'T YOU CHECK IT OUT...?
BONK!
!!
OUCH
OUR BLUE DOCTOR FINALLY CAME!! AT LEAST BE A LITTLE ..
OKAY, SORRY, SORRY.
GRRR
WELL THEN PLEASE USE THIS CLINIC AS YOU PLEASE.
YOU'LL BASICALLY HAVE TO LIVE WITH THE PRIEST AND BE UNDER HIS CARE.
WELL THEN, I'M GOING BACK TO THE ALTAR.
ARE YOU OKAY?
TRUDGE
YES...
CAPTAIN! PREPARATIONS FOR THE CONVOY FOR THE RECENTLY CAPTURED THIEF ARE FINISHED!
GOT IT. WE'LL BE TAKING HIM TO PRISON AS IT STANDS.
EAGLE-SAM...
UM,

CAPTAIN!
THE KUSHLA THIEF BOSS HAS BEEN CALLING FOR YOU TO COME OUT...
UNDERSTOOD. WE'LL BE TRAVELLING TOGETHER.
YOU, GO BACK TO THE BARRACKS AND PREPARE A WRITTEN REPORT.
YES, SIR!
skiiing
U...
UM..
He's leaving!
UM... ER...
I WISH... YOU LUCK..
YOU TOO ..
Kan
I HAVE TO GO.
I'M SORRY JESSIE
Uhmm

Without thinking—
I called him out.
Because.
I wonder if that little girl's doing all right.
Hmm.
Until now—
IT WAS ALL YOU CAPTAIN
YOU REALLY TOOK CARE OF THINGS BACK THERE
rumble
rumble
rumble
!!
AS A MEMBER OF THE KUSHLA BANDITS I WILL NEVER FORGET THIS HUMILIATION OF BEING IMPRISONED!
I WILL...!!
I'LL DEFINITELY MAKE YOU REGRET THIS..
THAT SCAR IN YOUR LEFT EYE...

"Don't overexert yourself..."
No one has ever told me that before
badump
I have been told that giving blood,
was only natural.
We were always taught that.
..WELL THEN, CHILDREN, TAKE OUT YOUR ARM SO WE CAN DRAW BLOOD

It's good to know things with our bodies...
...THE HANDS OF THE BLUE PEOPLE,
GIVE OFF A GENTLE SENSATION...
...this is what I do
HOO..
Its not just a cure. I can count for their recovering.
ITS HEALING POWER WILL MATERIALIZE COME INTO EFFECT.
BECAUSE MEDICINE IS ALREADY FLOWING IN YOUR SYSTEM.
REALLY?
THE PAIN IN MY LOWER BACK IS STARTING TO DISSAPPEAR.
WHAT ARE YOU SCARED OF, JESSIE?
IF YOU CAN'T EVEN BEAR THIS PAIN,
YOU CAN'T BECOME A DOCTOR THAT CAN SAVE PEOPLE.
WHAT ABOUT THE SICK PEOPLE SUFFERING FROM UNFATHOMABLE PAIN?

As Blue Rabbon we were trained and criticized very harshly
But upon proving our skills we get rewarded with the Blue Ring
tighten
Geez, how could this good-for-nothing priest be a doctor...
He just drunk sleep
See, I'm already sobering up~~
A blue person's whole body is like medicine
Squeeze
She's gone Fighting, Sunny!
Gyuuu
I've got to brace myself
Now that I'm independent!
Yo
Jessie
Hug
!?
Please wake me up from my drunkenness.
That's why she came
Let's go I'll take you to meet the district chief.
daa daa

HEEEY, JESSIE.
THE TOWNS-PEOPLE ALL CAME TO WELCOME YOU.
SO YOU'VE GOT TO REALLY DO YOUR BEST
I've got to do my best!
!!
I WILL!
I HAVE TO LIVE UP TO THEIR EXPECTATIONS
BECAUSE I

CAPTAIN...
IT SEEMS LIKE A NEW BLUE DOCTOR HAS FINALLY BEEN APPOINTED.
clink
YES... MAYBE WITH THIS OUR CITIZENS CAN FINALLY FEEL AT EASE.
SOMEHOW I'M A LITTLE WORRIED ABOUT HER.
IT'LL TURN OUT FINE IF THE CITIZENS CAN COOPERATE..
YOU ARE VERY KIND...
WHO ARE YOU?
!
am this district's doctor.

I SEE. SO YOU START TODAY.
I LEAVE EVERYTHING TO YOUR DISCRETION
I AM SORRY FOR THE LATE INTRO-DUCTION
I WILL BE WORKING HERE AS AN AGENT FROM JAPAN...
I SHOULD BE SAYING THAT
PLEASED TO MEET YOU...
WHEW
thud
There sure are a lot more people in towns...
I might have given too much blood.
!!
thud

I should have known,
my wounds will heal soon.
Ughhh, patience, patience
I'm feeling dizzy...
How hard it is...
...WHAT'S WRONG, JESSIE?
ARE YOU NOT FEELING WELL?
Waah!
E--
EAGLE -SAN!
gets up
Huh
Huh
AH, SORRY.
THE DOOR WAS LEFT OPEN SO I CAME IN

BU
!!
MP
DIZZY
HAVE YOU GOTTEN USED TO LIFE IN OUR TOWN?
I JUST CAME TO SEE HOW YOU'RE DOING...
SO-
Uwaaah!
BADUMP
BADUMP
SORRY!
I JUST GOT A LITTLE DIZZY...
...DO YOU HAVE ANEMIA?
YOU ALSO SEEM TO HAVE A FEVER. YOU SHOULD LIE DOWN.
BUT I HAVE TO MAKE DINNER...
DIRTY BANDAGES HAVE ALSO PILED UP...
...?
WHERE'S RANDY...?
YOOOO.

open
...IE-
JESSIE! PLEASE COME!!
dash
dash
dash
COME HERE, RANDY.
OH, WERE YOU SLEEP-ING?
drag
drag
SMILE
JESSIE, WHAT'S FOR DINNER?
SHE FELL DOWN!
MY MOM DOESN'T WAKE UP NO MATTER HOW MUCH I CALL HER ..!!
IYAAAAHH!
What should I do?
But...
OKAY.. GIVE ME A MINUTE.
I'M COMING...

THAT'S WHY...
SHE CAN DO EVERYTHING BY HERSELF.
I WAS TOLD I'M A GOOD-FOR-NOTHING PERSON WHO'LL JUST BOTHER HER.
GAAA
I've never hit my own!
THAT'S NOT IT!!
LIES
I'M GOING TO THE COURTYARD TO WASH THE BANDAGES. PLEASE PREPARE DINNER.
OKAY.
A BEAUTIFUL YOUNG MAN WHO CAN DO HOUSEWORK... HOW LOVELY
But no one...
..DON'T COME OUT
splash
squish
FLOMP FLOMP
!!
JESSIE...
HURRY! HURRY!

Blood stained bandages...
Her blood.
MOM IS HURTING...
!
AT THAT TIME, I...
JUST THOUGHT ABOUT DOING THE BEST I CAN

Bedtime Surprise
CAP-TAIN.
YOU ARE STILL WORKING SO LATE AT NIGHT.
WOULD YOU CARE FOR SOME COFFEE TO KEEP YOURSELF AWAKE?
what was really important
AH. THE ONE WHO JUST CAME THE OTHER DAY...
SHE IS HANDLING THINGS QUITE WELL.
I SEE...
She could be deceiving us-
YOU...
HOW IS THAT OTHER GIRL DOING?
I'm thinking too much-
TH
O
.....UGH...
UD

KYAAAAAA!!
CAPTAIN?!? WHAT'S WRONG!?
CRACKLE
UGH...
GAH...
!!
HEY YOU!! THAT COFFEE...!!
I, I DON'T KNOW!
AH
I JUST BROUGHT IN WHAT THE NEW AGENT PREPARED.
!!
AH
THAT LADY AGENT...GO GET HER, QUICK!!
YES!

DASH!
CALL A SOLDIER!!
GET THE BLUE DOCTOR HERE!
DASH!
Y-
YES, MA'AM!
...This is bad...
Right now that girl's body has become pretty weak.
THUMP
THUMP
I can't just abuse her help more than that
THUMP
...Jessie!!
IT APPEARS TO BE A TASTELESS AND ODORLESS POISON.
SOMEHOW CAPTAIN IS STILL MAINTAINING CONSCIOUSNESS...!!
Hm...
Hm...

EAGLE -SAN!!
Please!
In the courtyard
What should I do? What should I do?
!?
HE'S JUST BARELY CONSCIOUS...
I'VE GIVEN HIM SOME FIRST AID.
I JUST KEPT MAKING HIM DRINK THEN VOMIT LOTS OF WATER TO CLEAN HIS INSIDES.
DOCTOR ...!!

Eo-_gle-sa-__
!!
I'm such on idiot...!
This is not the time to be crying!
I am o blue doctor,
after all.

...I'M SORRY...

JESSIE...
DON'T ...
I'M GOING TO GO MAKE A PROPER ANTIDOTE RIGHT AWAY..
CAP-TAIN!
HE'S COMING TO...
SO...
DIZZY

QUICK!
TAKE HER TO THE TEMPLE...!!
LISTEN CAREFULLY, CHILDREN...
...JESSIE!?
thud

IN THE PAST. THE EMPIRE'S CITIZENS COMMITED FOUL ACTS AGAINST US.
WE WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO HEAL PEOPLE.
IF WE CAN'T TAKE CARE OF OUR BODIES
THIS WAS A VERY LONG TIME AGO.
REPENTING ALL THE WRONG THEY HAVE DONE.
THEY TOOK MONTHS AND YEARS TO ESTABLISH THE PEOPLE OF THE BLUE AS WE KNOW IT.
WE HAVE TO LIVE UP TO THEIR GOOD FAITH.

OUR BLOOD IS A MIRACLE WE RECEIVED FROM THE HEAVENS.
THAT'S WHY WE MUST NOT RELY TOO MUCH ON OUR POWERS FOR OUR BODIES WILL BE HARMED.
A LOT OF PEOPLE ARE ALSO RELYING ON OUR NATURAL POWERS.
Remember that...
JESSIE...
YOU'RE AWAKE.

YOU IDIOT.
DON'T GIVE UP SO MUCH BLOOD THAT YOU COLLAPSE.
GEEZ.
SO... SORRY...
YOU'VE BEEN SLEEPING FOR 3 DAYS.
hmm
san san
YOU'VE GOT TO USE HERBAL MEDICINES MORE.
YOUR BLOOD'S NOT UNLIMITED.
Grab his
YES...
You're right.
...UM... WHAT...
WELL THEN JUST SLEEP SO YOU'LL HEAL QUICKLY.
slam
AH.. I'm hungry...
grumble grumble
I'M GONNA GO OUT AND DO MY ROUNDS AS YOUR REPLACEMENT.
rustle rustle

Gulp
That reminds me I wonder if Eagle san is doing okay
MUNCH MUNCH
Creak
If...
Did Randy-san supply enough antidotes?
SO THIS IS WHERE YOU ARE.
YOU'RE AWAKE. ARE YOU OKAY NOW?

IT'S BECAUSE YOU LET ME DRINK YOUR BLOOD.
IT SEEMED VERY EFFECTIVE...
I'M FINE. THE POISON'S COMPLETELY GONE.
UM. ABOUT YOUR CONDITION...
!!
YE YES!
Eagle-san!
Thank go-
...THANK GOODNESS.
...!?

IF YOU...
BECAUSE OF ME...
EVEN IF IT WAS JUST A ONE IN A MILLION CHANCE,

WHAT WOULD I HAVE DONE...
!!
I-
I'M SORRY, EAGLE-SAN!
I have always
tried to do my very best on my own
But,
I...

JESSIE...
IT'S FINE, I'M GOING TO EXERT MORE POWER,
AND DO MORE AND MORE THINGS LITTLE BY LITTLE.
Did I get your clothes wet with my nose?
sniff
sniff
am not alone.
TA-
DANN
OKAY THEN, EAT LOTS!

YES, THANK YOU!
HE WOULDN'T SHUT UP UNTIL I MADE IT.
THIS IS EAGLE'S PLAN OF INCREASING YOUR BLOOD FLOW, A SPECIAL STAMINA MEAL.
Don't leave any leftovers!
AH, AND I SAW IN THE NEWSPAPER,
THE CRIMINAL WHO SPREAD THAT POISON. THAT AGENT LADY, SHE WAS ARRESTED.
SHE WAS A MEMBER OF THE THIEVES' GROUP KUSHLA. THE SAME AS THAT MAN WHO WAS ARRESTED A FEW DAYS AGO.
SHE DID IT TO AVENGE THEIR BOSS.
rustle
THANK ME TOO ♡
ooohh
I NEED TO THANK EAGLE-SAN....
I ALREAOY DID···
COME ON. SAY IT.
SQUEEZE
Can I join the conversation
SERIOUS
IT WOULD SUCK TO HAVE THAT KIND OF PUBLIC RIDICULE
ANYWAY THAT EAGLE GUY WHO MADE THIS RECIPE SURE IS WEIRD, HUH?
AWWW, HE MADE THIS EVEN THOUGH HE WAS SO BUSY!
It is a bit interesting
Ha ha ha...
FLIP
TYPICAL RECIPE

As long as I feel all their support

I'm going to do my best.
Slowly, step by step

CHAPTER 2

THE "BLUE RAMUN" ...
THE MEDICINE THAT CURES ALL ILLNESSES.
THIS RAMUN (BLOOD) IS MEDICINE THAT HAS BEEN HANDED DOWN AND INHERITED FOR GENERATIONS.

DASH
Jessie, over here!!
SHE FELL FROM THE 3RD FLOOR IN OUR SCHOOL.
OUR TEACHER WAS CRYING
SO I CAME TO CALL YOU ..
... DOCTOR !!
QUICKLY.
YOUR BLUE RAMUN ...!!
YES, CALM DOWN...
Shiing

BAH
—I am the New Blue Doctor."
...I heard night bandits have been frequently appearing around the town gates
Is that true Eagle-san?

YES, SOME MERCHANTS HAVE BEEN STRIPPED OF ALL THEY HAD.
THERE WERE ALSO TRAVELLERS WHO GOT MURDERED THEY'VE REALLY COMMITTED BRUTAL CRIMES
WE HAVE BEEN PATROLLING MORE AND MORE THESE DAYS
BUT YOU STILL HAVE TO BE CAREFUL.
YOU'VE BEEN ATTENDING TO A LOT OF PATIENTS RECENTLY
YOU PASS THE CITY GATES AND WALK ON THE DESERTS OUTSIDE, DON'T YOU?
YES, I JUST THOUGHT IT WOULD BE GOOD FOR MY LEGS...
TA-DA
AND I PREPARED A SPECIAL BLUE RAMUN HERBAL DRINK! IT'S A GREAT CURE FOR FATIGUE!!
THAT'S PRETTY USEFUL...

This much is fine!!
Hasn't your wound from last time healed yet?
Your blood's oozing out...
You've been very reliable Jessie.
The way things are going, we can really depend on her.
The blue doctor...
Eagle-san's
The captain sure is a wonderful person, isn't he?
Don't strain yourself getting too excited.
I won't ...

always makes my heart race...
spontaneous kindness,
!
!!
step

I'M YUAN CLESY, THE BLUE DOCTOR FROM THE NEIGHBORING PACIS DISTRICT.
..AND JESSIE'S FIANCEE.
SO YOU'RE THE CAPTAIN OF THE LEZAK DISTRICT'S POLICE.
YOU...
HOW ARE YOU RELATED TO JESSIE?

...We, the Blue People were raised inside caravans.
Ever since we were young we were taught about herbal medicines surgical operations and how to draw our own blood
AAH, DOCTOR. ARE YOU BACK FROM WORK?
I JUST ADDED FRESH FRUITS TODAY WHAT ABOUT PREPARING SOME FOR DINNER?
you can take a sample
Is that OK?
And then when we turn 16 as official members of the Blue People we are assigned to a district within this empire
Jessie!!
Excuse me, excuse me
TROT

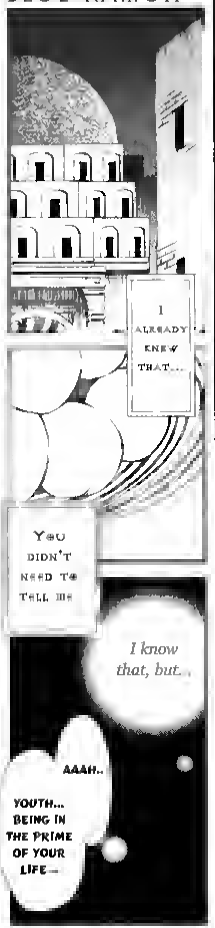
YUAN?! WHAT'S WRO...!
.....

—LAST MONTH A MEETING WAS HELD FOR ALL THE BLUE PEOPLE WORKING IN THIS EMPIRE
THAT'S WHEN I HEARD THAT YOU WORK HERE.
SO I THOUGHT AFTER 2 YEARS, WE CAN FINALLY MEET AGAIN...

YUAN...ARE YOU ANGRY...?
...BUT ...

THEN LISTEN TO ME!!
JESSIE, THAT SILVER-HAIRED GUY CALLED EAGLE,
DO YOU LIKE HIM?!
!?
GEEZ!
YOU'RE SEETHING WITH ANGER! STOP GETTING MAD WITHOUT EVEN EXPLAINING YET!
WHAT THE HELL ...
Yes I am...!!
flaming up
I met that guy!!
PANIC
PANIC
PANIC
EH ?!
BUT HY
W
WHAT ALL OF A SUDDEN
WHA ...?!
HE'S REALLY..
I JUST CAN'T UNDERSTAND THAT GUY!!
Not listening
... UNH
BUT THAT GUY SAID THAT MY PROPOSAL WASN'T A BINDING AGREEMENT, ETCETERA ETCETERA.
!!?
I TOLD HIM YOU'RE MY FIANCEE SO HE SHOULDN'T GET CLOSE TO YOU!!
ANO ...?!
Loud and Clear!

BUT I JUST CAN'T CALM DOWN NO MATTER WHAT YOU SAY!!
AAAH, I'M SORRY !!
SURE WE WERE CHILD HOOD FRIENDS, BUT...
DON'T DECIDE ON THESE THINGS ON YOUR OWN!!
I LIKE YOU... JESSIE.
.....
NUH...?
EVER SINCE WE WERE KIDS...


I ALREADY KNEW THAT...
YOU DIDN'T NEED TO TELL ME
I know that, but...
AAAH..
YOUTH... BEING IN THE PRIME OF YOUR LIFE—
BLUE PEOPLE CAN'T GET MARRIED WITH PEOPLE FROM THIS EMPIRE
SINCE WE'RE BOTH BLUE PEOPLE,
...ALSO, IF WE GET MARRIED,
WE'LL BE ABLE TO PRESERVE OUR LINEAGE.
HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN ABOUT THAT...?

JESSIE, A 15-YEAR-OLD GIRL WHOSE INNOCENT HEART WAS SHAKEN BY A SUDDEN LOVE CONFESSION ♡
GEEZ, RANDY SAN! STOP SAYING WEIRD THINGS!
and you're drinking too much, sake!
That's weird →
Wow he's really doing his job ...
ON TOP OF THAT YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE UNDER MY CARE SO I JUST COULDN'T LEAVE YOU ALONE
HICK
WELL, I CAN'T HELP IT IF I JUST HAPPENED TO SEE IT WHEN I WAS ON MY WAY TO WORK.
AND THEN? AND THEN? WHAT HAPPENED? OH!
HEHEHE
LIKE EAGLE?
O YOU...

THA...
BLUSH
HE STILL CAN'T FORGET ABOUT HIS DEAD WIFE
THAT'S... UMM ..I.. JUST THINK ...HE'S A GREAT PERSON.
I LOVE THAT REACTION! IT MAKES YOU LOOK LIKE A SHY MAIDEN!!
BWAHAHAH
UH BUT...
OOPS
THAT EARRING ON HIS LEFT EAR.
THAT WASN'T FROM THE EMPIRE. BOTH HE AND HIS WIFE HAVE THAT BLACK CRYSTAL EARRING TO SYMBOLIZE THEIR MARRIAGE
MUM?
So you didn't know about this?

THE HUSBAND WEARS IT ON HIS RIGHT EAR,
AND THE WIFE WEARS IT ON HER LEFT. IT'S A COMMON TRADITION HERE...
THAT IF ONE DIES FIRST,
THE OTHER, AS A WAY OF MOURNING,
WILL WEAR THEIR EARRING ON THE OTHER SIDE FOR ONE YEAR.
THAT MEANS HE CANNOT REMARRY DURING THAT PERIOD
AFTER ALL...
HE WOULDN'T JUST WEAR THAT EARRING JUST CAUSE IT LOOKS NICE
HE'S 24 NOW...
My age is in at a lovely 30 years
SO HIS WIFE HAS BEEN DEAD FOR MORE THAN 3 YEARS.
HE CAN TAKE OFF THAT EARRING ANY-TIME...
I didn't know...
...about that.

YUAN'S FEELINGS
FRIENDS
—AND MY FEELINGS FOR EAGLE" SAN—

AH. ..I'M SORRY! MY MIND WAS WANDERING OFF...
HEHEH IT'S FINE DOCTOR.
YOU ARE AT A MARRIAGEABLE AGE AFTER ALL.
"LIKE" ...
AND "LOVE".. WHAT DO THEY REALLY MEAN..
THAT IS A VERY HARD QUESTION..

THEN I THINK THE LOVE AND HATRED BRIMMING IN THIS WORLD WOULDN'T EXIST.
BUT... IF EVERYONE CLEARLY KNEW,
of my pain
and sadness
The cause...

YOUR FEELINGS FOR THE PERSON YOU LOVE.
SHOULD LAST FOREVER ..
The person you love..
my feelings
My own...

that I have for Eagle san,
These feelings
I wonder if it's love...
JESSIE HASN'T COME HOME YET?
IT'S ALREADY LATE.

!
No way
Jessie...?!
SHE'S GONNA BE FINE. SHE'S JUST PROBABLY EATING DINNER IN ONE OF HER PATIENT'S HOUSE
WE'VE DISPATCHED GUARDS ALONG THE TOWN GATE BUT,
WE COULDN'T HAVE THEM PATROL UP TO THE DESERT BECAUSE THERE ARE DANGEROUS ANIMALS PROWLING THERE AT NIGHT...

PAUSE

EVEN WHEN I WAS STILL LIVING IN THE CARAVANS WE WERE TAUGHT HOW DANGEROUS IT IS AT NIGHT...
THEY'LL KICK ME OUT IF THEY FOUND OUT!
DASH

UWAAAHH IT'S GOTTEN SO DARK ALREADY!
HOW COULD I HAVE FALLEN ASLEEP AT THIS PLACE..
gets up

the gate
...HUH?
is closed?!
RANDY!
I'M GOING BACK TO THE BARRACKS!!
TELL ME IF JESSIE GETS HOME SAFELY.
SAFELY ..? YOU THINK...
I HAVE A BAD FEELING ABOUT THIS...
OPEN

...
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU...
CAN YOU BUY A BOTTLE OF SAKE?
...WHILE YOU'RE THERE.
We lost all will to talk back at him.
PANIC PANIC
IF I SHOUT MAYBE THE PATROL GUARDS MIGHT TAKE NOTICE
MAYBE THEY CAN HEAR ME..
BUT I CAN'T GO IN OR GO HOME.
...WHAT SHOULD I DO...
Ah, that's right
I do remember now
HEATH
on the other side of this gate
They were going to close the gates early to prevent thieves from coming in.

WHAT DID YOU SAY?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN JESSIE'S IN DANGER?!
WHAT ARE THE POLICE DOING ABOUT THIS ..?!
strangle
OKKOKO
WE- WE'RE NOT EVEN SURE YET...
I RAN OUT OF STOMACH MEDICINE AND WANTED TO ASK HER TO GIVE ME SOME, AND THIS IS WHAT HAPPENS!!
... GEEZ!!
CAPTAIN AND THE PRIEST ARE BOTH SO IRRESPONSIBLE!!

If I shout loud enough...

.. I CAN'T PRETEND TO NOT HEAR WHAT YOU JUST SAID, YUAN.
NO MATTER WHAT YOU SAY,
EAGLE ISN'T A MAN WITH NO TALENT
HE WAS CHOSEN TO BE CAPTAIN AT SUCH A YOUNG AGE ..
AND YOU'LL KNOW WHY SOON ENOUGH.
WHAT... DO YOU MEAN...
ITU

My voice
Won't come out!
Thieves...!!
...
What do I do?
step

Eagle-
san!!
DUNN

CREA!!
GET THE BLUE DOCTOR!!
YES, SIR!
DOCTOR!! THIS WAY...
-ZAAAA
IF YOU GIVE UP NOW, WE'LL GO EASY ON YOU
LISTEN UP!! I'LL ONLY SAY THIS ONCE!

DON'T MAKE ME DRAW MY SWORD
GYAAAAAH!
THIS IS NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS! ATTACK!!
YES, SIR!
CHRIS!
YOU!!
Ah...
ZAAA

The light of the moon
is reflecting on his silver hair.
Somehow...

He looks so beautiful
It's beating so fast.
It's like someone's squeezing my heart
CAPTAIN!!
ALL THIEVES HAVE BEEN CAPTURED!!
GOOD. THEN
TAKE THEM TO THE BARRACKS!!

JESSIE...
badump
I'LL TAKE YOU HOME.
...GET ON.
SOMEONE SAW YOU LEAVE THROUGH THE GATES EARLIER THIS EVENING.
SO I THOUGHT MAYBE...
ONCE YOU GOT BACK TO TOWN,
I CAN LET THE MY PATROLMEN OFF EARLY SO—
trot
trot

...WHAT'S WRONG JESSIE?
IT...IT'S JUST THAT...
And,
I'VE CAUSED YOU SO MUCH TROUBLE AGAIN....
doh!
doh!
He's so close...
DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT.
YOU'VE ALREADY SAVED MY LIFE.

BUT...
JESSIE?
"can't forget"
"But"
"he still"

"about his dead wife..."

.....
These feelings
that I have
CLENCH
for Eagle-san
OH.
SO THE PRINCESS AND HER KNIGHT HAVE RETURNED.
.....!?

... WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
hehehe
?
...
blush

HEY, GET AWAY FROM HER!
YOU'RE GETTING TOO CLOSE!!
SEE? DIDN'T I TELL YOU SHE'LL BE BACK SAFELY?
EH? YUAN...?

DASH
ha
I'LL BE BACK..
That goes without saying...
...?
DEFI-NITELY WON'T LOSE TO YOU!!
I...
GRAB
WAIT...
YUAN...

DA SH
THAT'S TOO MUCH LAUGHING, RANDY.
SURE...
CAN I GET SOME HERBAL MEDICINE?
I forgot
BLUSH
wahaha
hahaha
HERE'S YOUR MEDICINE
PLEASE DRINK THIS TWICE EVERY NIGHT
OKAY.
OKAY, NEXT...
DOCT-OR.
Ah...
THAT'S US...

FREE TALK
Greetings
It's nice to meet all of you. I'm Youki Ryan. This is my first manga, "Blue Ramun." Thank you all so much for reading it. The first chapter was my very memorable debut work. I worked overtime trying to finish drawing that chapter. I'll never forget that chapter. When it first appeared on Melody magazine, I couldn't even get myself to look at my own work. I was feeling really down, but because everyone really supported me, I was able to get this far.
If you enjoy the manga even just a little bit, I'll be very happy.
Please continue reading!
JESSIE
HEHEHEH, I'VE ALWAYS COUNTED ON YOU.
YOUR BLOOD'S POWER IS REALLY EFFECTIVE.
Though I still need a cane to walk.
That's amazing!
UWAAAH, HAPALB-SAN!
DID YOU WALK ALL THE WAY HERE?
...I'M FINE.
THOUGH IT SEEMS LIKE SOMETHING WAS BOTHERING YOU BEFORE ..
IS THERE ANY THING WRONG?
THERE THERE IT'S NOT LIKE THAT
I'M STILL A LONG WAY TO GO ON BECOMING A GOOD DOCTOR
BUT ..I'VE MADE MY PATIENT WORRY ..
THIS

I wonder how he can get himself to idle around in front of the altar
Johann
THIS WARM BUT PAINFUL FEELING
RANDY-SAN, I'VE FINISHED MY MORNING ROUNDS.
I'LL BE BACK LATER FOR THE AFTERNOON ROUNDS.
OKAY, DO YOUR BEST.
CAPTAIN! YOUNG MASTER!
HOW ABOUT SOME PROVISIONS FOR YOUR TROOPS?
YES, I'LL HAVE SOME...
THOSE FRUITS SURE ARE DELICIOUS, AREN'T THEY?
Hmmm
UWAAAH, YOU REALLY KNOW A LOT!
AND I THINK YOU CAN ALSO COOK WELL!
THE MUTTON STORE 2 HOUSES AWAY FROM HERE IS ALSO GOOD.
You did make a recipe before

DO YOU WANT TO...
EAT TOGETHER NEXT TIME?
EH
IS IT OKAY?
A home cooked meal from Eagle-san
tohh
I SHOULD SHARPEN UP MY SKILLS TOO..
FOR THE MEAN TIME
...feelings
for the person you love

is surely
WELL THEN...
I'LL BE LOOKING FORWARD TO IT!!
the same for everyone
HOHOHO SUCH A TROUBLED YOUNG LAD
You're overthinking the future, Yuan.
SHUDDER
Gah!
I'LL DEFINITELY BECOME A GOOD MAN! JUST YOU WAIT!
DAMMIT RONMEL!

Blue Ramun
Chapter 3

CREAK
YO, EAGLE!
WELL, ISN'T IT RARE FOR YOU TO COME HERE SO EARLY IN THE MORNING?
IF YOU'RE LOOKING FOR JESSIE, SHE'S BEEN OUT DOING HER ROUNDS SINCE DAYBREAK.
RANDY...
..THAT MAN HAS RETURNED.

...THIS MIGHT BE USE-LESS ADVICE, BUT,
DON'T MIX YOUR PERSONAL FEELINGS IN THIS,
EAGLE.
...!!
I WAS NOTI-FIED BY THE IMPERIAL CAPITAL'S HEAD-QUAR-TERS.
THIS MOR-NING, IN ABSO-LUTE SECRECY.
THEY TOLD ME TO BE ON HIGH ALERT.

THE "BLUE RAMUN"
CAN CURE ALL ILL-NESSES
THE BLOOD OF THE BLUE RAMUN FLOWS WITHIN ME. AND SO I HAVE TAKEN OVER THE JOB AS A DOCTOR.
...I KNOW
HMM, OKAY THEN, I'LL MAKE SOME MEDICINE FOR YOU...

I am the new "Blue Doctor."
Take it home and I can take it.
Milk, milk it.
Ah
Drew-san.
I've finished checking up on your daughter.
Her fever has gone down, so I just prepared some medicine to recover her strength.
I'll have make her take it 3 times a day!!
Okay! Thanks, Jessie.
Why don't you have lunch here with us?

Hachoo!
Someone's gossiping about me
That looks delicious
maybe
RANDY-SAN WILL BE WAITING FOR ME
AH, I'M SORRY BUT..
HAHAHA, THAT'S YOUR PRIEST CARETAKER, RIGHT?
Is he doing a good job?
You went through all the trouble
It's hard being a single-parent dad
MY WIFE SAID IT DOESN'T TASTE GOOD.
AAH, BUT PLEASE JUST TASTE SOME.
YES.
...AH
THAT BANDAGE HAS BEEN BOTHERING ME SINCE I CAME IN!
BAH!
EH?
WAIT...
JUST SHOW IT TO ME...

...IF IT CAN ONLY BE TAKEN OFF I WILL BUT...
I- IT'S NOTHING.
...this is a tatoo ?!
I DON'T WANT IT TO STAND OUT TOO MUCH... USUALLY I JUST WEAR A GLOVE, BUT
It's in the laundry right now
I'M SURE THERE'S SOME-THING THAT CAN MAKE IT LESS VISIBLE
WAIT,
I'LL RE-SEARCH ON THAT LATER...
NO...
IT'S FINE JESSIE.
PLEASE JUST CONTINUE DOING WHAT YOU ALWAYS HAVE.
I HAVE NO RIGHT TO REQUEST SOMETHING FROM YOU, WHO HAS BEEN WORKING SO HARD.

OPEN
...eh...?!
PLEASE DO NOT TELL ABOUT THIS TO ANYONE...
AND ALSO...
I'M HOME! ♡ HEY RAZZ-CHAN! ♡
I had a half day today ♥
WEL-COME HOME! ♡
YOU MUST HAVE WORKED REALLY HARD!
Children.
Our Ramun (blood) exists to heal people
We have inherited this power since the ancient times
The Blue Ramun's healing powers are all
...Why...
...did he say that...?
What the hell is the flavor?
I'm sorry
TONK!
Ah! She tasted it
SYAAA

given to us
We have been trained in the caravans ever since we were young.
When we turn 15 years old we are assigned to a district in this empire as official Blue Doctors.
However... we were taught that
Blue Ramuns cannot regenerate dead cells.
But still
Um...
when the skin has been damaged by a tatoo, the coloring pigment is already embedded there...
it'll be hard to completely erase it...

Pass...by
clench
Yeah, now I have to do some research.
But if it can be done, I will
Maybe Eagle-san is here too...
...A POLICE OFFICER...
(Maybe Oh [name])
Well, I guess he's busy couse he's the captain.
Recently I can't even see him wolking around the streets...
I JUST WANT TO SEE HIS FACE FOR JUST A BIT...
SIGH
...I want to meet him...
...UGH...
AH

?
HA HA HA
...!?
...UH... UM...
DOES... IT... HURT...?
That arm...
What is that...?!
I have no time for...
But,
GR
AB
B/AH

IF YOUR ARM HURTS I CAN HEAL IT.
...LEAVE ME ALONE.
I DON'T NEED YOUR RAMUN (BLOOD).

...
YOUR ... ARM ...?
!!
A YOUNG DOCTOR WITH BLUE EYES...
...THIS FIRE DRAGON ARM
what ?
WAS ARTIFICIALLY ATTACHED TO ME BY ALCHEMISTS...
Who is--
THAT MEANS YOU'RE A BLUE DOCTOR SO ANSWER ME THIS.
ROWAN!!

DASH

...WHAT DID YOU DO TO HER...?!
Is he mad..?!
..Eagle-san..
NO-THING REAL-LY.
.....
HEEEY JESSIE? WE WERE JUST TALKING, RIGHT?
I GUESS...
Um...

LONG TIME NO SEE, EAGLE SCHNEIDER.
YOU SEEM TO BE DOING WELL.
WHOOOSH
I HAVE ALWAYS BEEN LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AGAIN.
!!
!
Bam!

DID THAT MAN DO ANY-THING?
HUH
NO, NO I'M... FINE..
All this was
...ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
JESSIE

I'M SORRY.
Sarah
.. I GUESS HE SCARED YOU.

!
..NEXT TIME
"...I'm sorry"

'I'm sorry, Eagle.'
WHATEVER HAPPENS,
I ALWAYS WILL
PROTECT YOU.
DO YOU... BELIEVE IN ME...?

but,
I couldn't really understand them, but,
Eagle-san's words,
EH...
PANIC
PANIC
PANIC
UMM
ERRR
I didn't know
how to answer him.
YES...
You sure are in high spirits
Then I'll have lunch.
I still have 5 more classes to go.
SNISH
SNISH
DOING HER ROUNDS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE WEEK.
That was what I thought.

I HEARD THAT MAN IS THE BOSS OF GARICALEGE.
SO YOU MET THAT ROWAN ..
...I SEE...
THEY GET BLUE RAMUN BLOOD BY FORCE, THROUGH ILLEGAL MEANS. MAYBE SOME OF IT IS EVEN COUNTERFEIT.
THEY SELL IT IN THE BLACK MARKET.
I wanna drink sake.
Geez.
You have to make do with tea for now.
BUT A LOT OF BLUE PEOPLE WERE HARMED
ONLY A FEW INCIDENTS WERE MADE PUBLIC.
THEY HAVE BEEN DOING OTHER THINGS LIKE THAT BUT THEY'VE ALL BEEN KEPT SECRET.

Character Introduction

Number 1

Jessie Jacksen (15)

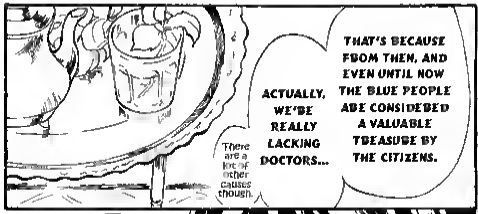
A cute girl
I love her

When I was making up this story the plot was supposed to be centered around a boy. (Jessie' is actually a boy's name in English). But for his best friend, I thought "It should definitely be a girl!" Because I always end up changing my mind. I kept on thinking and rethinking it, until I [illegible] sions of the same story. In the end I chose with what I liked best, so the story developed to center around my "beloved daughter" Jessie. (And I'm thankful for it.) I love dressing up cute characters. So while I was thinking about what she would be wearing, I was in ultimate bliss.

So you can compare the difference in Chapter 1 and chapter 5.

The Blue Ring The second version.

(New design)


There are a few of other causes though.
ACTUALLY, WE'RE REALLY LACKING DOCTORS...
THAT'S BECAUSE FROM THEN, AND EVEN UNTIL NOW THE BLUE PEOPLE ARE CONSIDERED A VALUABLE TREASURE BY THE CITIZENS.

That's why Eagle-san behaved.
like that ?!
—BY ROWAN.
OH MY, DREW-SAN, DID YOUR WIFE BEAT YOU UP AGAIN?
Here, thank you
CLINK
HA HA HA
YONIGHT I'LL MAKE SURE I MAKE SOMETHING DELICIOUS.
HOW IS RAZZ-CHAN DOING?
.. I GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT... I'LL RETURN HOME QUICKLY AND PREPARE DINNER...
Ah, a model husband!
HEY...
YOU SHOULDN'T DO THAT! YOU CAN'T JUST TAKE YOUR EYES AWAY FROM A BABY!
My neighbor will know if she cries
SO I JUST THOUGHT I'D GO OUT TO SHOP REAL QUICK.
SHE'S SLEEPING SOUNDLY NOW BUT SHE MIGHT WAKE UP ANYTIME

I SURE WOULD LIKE TO TRY OUT THAT FOOD AS WELL...
Pat
IT'S DONE, YOU MOPHEAD.
And don't kick me again.
DID YOU SAY SOME-THINGGGG~~~?
BUT DAD SAYS THINGS LIKE THAT ALL THE TIME~~~
Let me SO~~~
GEEZ. IT'S JUST ONE AFTER ANOTHER..
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?! CAN'T YOU EVEN LOOK AFTER PATIENTS?
I'm sorry
NEXT TIME COME BACK TO THE CLINIC WHEN JESSIE IS AROUND.
MEW

...A PRESCRIPTION FOR REMOVING TATTOOS ...?!
Huh
"To remove the dragon-shaped tattoo on Drew's left arm,"
"The ramun and medicine should be mixed in this ratio."
...WHAT IS THIS...?
WHAP
.....
ROWAN--SAMA!!
IT SEEMS LIKE YOU'RE LEADING A VERY PEACEFUL LIFE HERE.
DREW.

I HAVE BEEN HIDING IN THE IMPERIAL CAPITAL UNTIL NOW
BUT, JUST AS I THOUGHT, IT REALLY FEELS MORE COMFORTABLE HERE
DON'T YOU KNOW?
THIS IS MY HOMETOWN.
CRUSH
I knew
that this day
would come
ROWAN-SAMA...
...THE WAY WE POACH BLUE RAMUNS IS INHUMAN...
NO MATTER WHAT..
I JUST CAN'T TAKE IT ANYMORE..
SO YOU'RE PLANNING TO FALL OUT OF THE GROUP AND JUST WANDER AROUND THIS PLACE?
TOO BAD JUST WHEN I CAME HERE TO SAVE YOU

RUN AWAY FROM ME ALL THIS TIME, WEREN'T YOU?
YOU'VE BEEN PLANNING TO
God
I have sinned in my past by harming the Blue People
Yes, the Blue People, the highly volued Gods of Healing
YOUR DAD SURE IS LATE.
CHIKAN

I MADE THIS OINTMENT SO HE CAN TEST IT ON HIS TATTOO BUT...

I WONDER IF HE'LL TAKE IT...

He will say no, I'm sure!

I'LL GO OUT FOR A WHILE TO LOOK FOR YOUR DAD

Huh?

I ALSO HAVE A FEELING THAT THIS CAN REALLY REMOVE HIS TATTOO, LITTLE BY LITTLE ...

Please...

forgive me.....

KHOOOOOSH

DASH
ABOUT THAT PRESCRI-PTION...
THAT DOESN'T MATTER.
DOCTOR!!
RANDY SAN? WHY ARE YOU HERE?
...HEY JESSIE!!
GRAB
HUH?
YOU TOO, SIR.
DREW-SAN'S HOUSE
IS ON FIRE...!!
WHOOO
OOSH

CALL THE POLICE!
GET WATER! QUICK!
...RAZZ--CHAN IS STILL INSIDE...!!
DASH
HEY!
HUH?
...EAGLE!
JESSIE WENT INSIDE...
...I KNOW

RANDY, MY TROOPS WILL BE ARRIVING SOON.
UNTIL THEN, I'LL LEAVE YOU IN-CHARGE.
WHOO
OOSH
EAGLE!!
!!
COUGH
COUGH
..JESSIE!
HAA
HAA...

She cut herself
—to save the boby
JESSIE...
YOU'RE REALLY...

.....
I feel something soft
huh ?

!!?
DOKI
HAVE YOU REGAINED CONSCIOUSNESS?
YOU DID WELL, JESSIE.
THE BABY IS SAFE NOW, THANKS TO YOU.
Ah

!!
PLEASE JUST REST HERE.
YOU HAVE SOME MINOR BURNS SO
THE BABY'S MOTHER RAN HERE AS SOON AS SHE HEARD.
WITH EVERTONE'S HELP IT LOOKS LIKE THE FIRE'S NEARLY GONE.
C'mon just a little more
SPLASH
It's rare to see you working for once Randy
Passing out buckets
UH
UMM
BUT EAGLE--SAN, THIS IS YOUR CLOAK..
It won't get dirty
..AM...
...
ABOUT THINGS LIKE THAT
YOU DON'T NEED TO WORRY

Eagle-san
"protect you."
"...no matter that happens, I will definitely"
...CAPTAIN!!
WHAT'S WRONG?
THIS WAY. QUICK!

...I will never forget those words...
I believe in him
I believe in him.
...THAT DRAGON TATOO ON HIS ARM
IS A SYMBOL OF THE GARICA LEGE...

"That man..."
"Captain"
THOUGH DREW-SAN KEPT IT A SECRET FROM EVERYONE ELSE, IT SEEMS LIKE HIS WIFE ALREADY KNEW ABOUT IT.
WHEN WE ASKED HER TO IDENTIFY THE DEAD BODY,
SHE JUST TOOK ONE LOOK AT HIS LEFT ARM AND KNEW IT WAS HER HUSBAND ..
'It wasn't the fire that killed him, was it ?'
IT'S NO ONE'S FAULT...
It was
his fault
I SEE...
...RANDY.
I WILL
RESIGN.

I know that, but
...JESSIE...
AH. YOU WASHED IT.
MY CLOAK.
THE MEDICINE I MADE FOR DREW-SAN ...
I WAS THIN KING
ABOUT BURYING IT WITH HIM IN HIS FUNERAL ...

CAN I GIVE HIM THIS MEDICINE...?
...YES.
DEFINITELY
"I have
'no right to request something from you "
HE WANTED TO ERASE THE TATTOO
BUT REFUSED TO ASK FOR MY HELP
FOR ME...

This pain
Is just
something
to heal you

Chapter 4

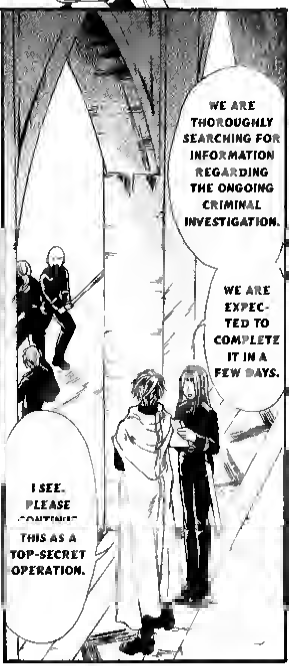
...DRAW YOUR SWORDS!
HUAAAAA!!
SWING
STAND IN POSI-TION!!!
GET READY FOR TRAINING!!!

CREA.

...
CAPTAIN.
I'M SORRY TO BOTHER YOU DURING TRAINING.
YES SIR!
clank clank

I'M HOLDING A MEETING THIS AFTERNOON TO RECONSIDER ADDING MORE PATROLMEN.
YES SIR!

AND ALSO, THE BLUE DOCTOR...


WE ARE THOROUGHLY SEARCHING FOR INFORMATION REGARDING THE ONGOING CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION.
WE ARE EXPECTED TO COMPLETE IT IN A FEW DAYS.
I SEE. PLEASE CONTINUE THIS AS A TOP-SECRET OPERATION.

THE BLUE RAMUN CAN CURE ANY ILLNESS.
GET HER A *SHUGO BIRD.
*T.N. Shugo means protection
THAT I HAVE INHERITED FROM MY DESCENDANTS. I HAVE BECOME A BLUE DOCTOR.
WITH THIS BLOOD

We lived and were trained in caravans in the desert until we turned 16 years old
Now, I have been assigned as the main doctor of the Lezar District
SLASH
THE BLUE BLOOD THAT THE GODS HAVE BLESSED US WITH IS
THE POWER OF HEALING.
THIS PAIN ...
TO RELEASE THE SICK PEOPLE FROM THEIR SUFFERING.
...IS FOR THEM.
CHING
CHING
CREAK

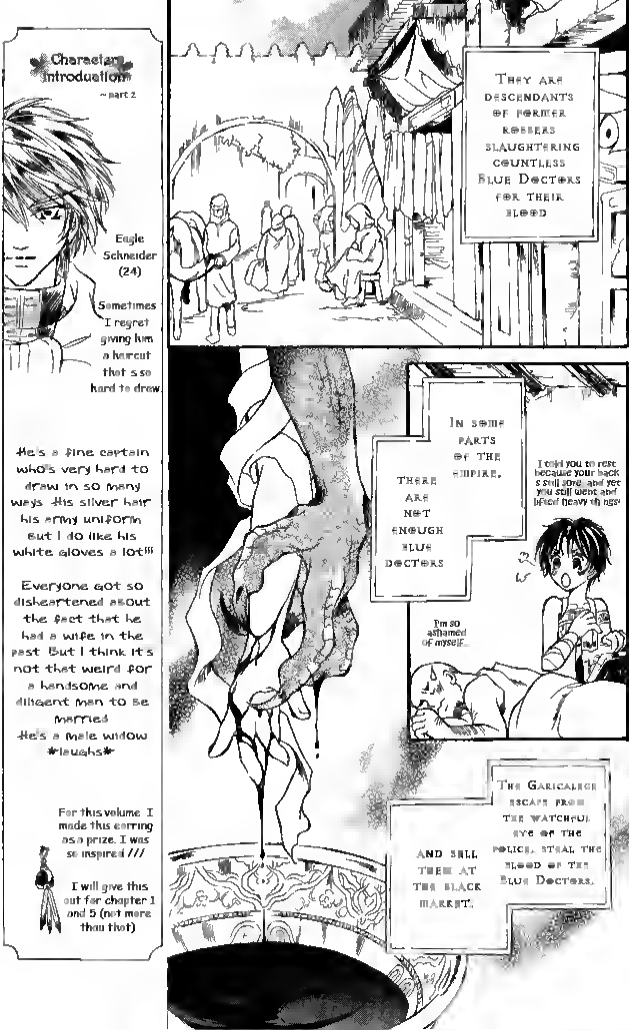
SO YOU WERE HERE DOING A BLOOD--DRAWING RITUAL.
I THOUGHT YOU WERE IN THE CLINIC.
JESSIE .. ?
ARE YOU OKAY?
AN .. EAGLE--SAN!
SO THAT WE CAN HAVE MORE TIME TO PREPARE THE MEDICINE ITSELF.
USUALLY WE DON'T DO THE RITUAL ANYMORE
IT'S A RITUAL THAT THE BLUE PEOPLE HAVE BEEN DOING FOR GENERATIONS.
YES.
FOR THE PEOPLE OF THIS TOWN.
YOU'RE ALWAYS DOING YOUR BEST
I CAN BANDAGE IT FOR YOU..
I'll go stop the bleeding
I THOUGHT I SHOULD AT LEAST DO THE RITUAL WHEN I HAVE TIME
SINCE I HAVE TO DO MY ROUNDS IN THE AFTER-NOON
IT'S FINE. GIVE ME YOUR HAND.
I CAN DO IT MYSELF.
AH.

I'm sure Eagle-san isn't aware of this, but
AH..
DOKIN
whenever he's this kind to me, I can't help it...
What?
I CAME HERE TODAY TO INTRODUCE YOU TO MY SHUGO BIRO.
The more I can't stop myself from thinking about him
THANK YOU. I'M SORRY TO TROUBLE YOU.
COME!
SIERRA!!!
Tes dans
IT'S NO-THING.
BLUSH

KAAAA...!
Its golden brown feathers
changed color
MEAP
To match Eagle-san's silver hair

BIRD PROTECTORS CAN CHANGE THE COLOR OF THEIR EYES AND FEATHERS AT WILL
IT'S NICE TO MEET YOU, BLUE DOCTOR.
MOI
Whoooa
Whoaa...! Its silver feathers are sparking !
Wow...!
sparkle
...YES.
SHE USUALLY DOES SPY MISSIONS FOR US IN THE POLICE FORCE.
THE BIRD JUST SPOKE ...!
E-EAGLE SAN
PANIC
THEY USUALLY CHANGE THEIR COLOR TO SUIT THEIR MASTER'S APPEARANCES.
IT IS A SYMBOL OF THEIR OBEDIENCE.
They also have the ability to hide their tail feathers.
What a beautiful bird!
EEEEH???
Isn't that too much?
PAT
DUDUNN
Nice to meet you
PROTECT YOU AS YOU GO AROUND TOWN.
FROM NOW ON SHE IS GOING TO

We BLUE DOCTORS ARE
BEING HUNTED DOWN BY A CRIMINAL GROUP CALLED "GARIGALEGE
I PROMISED I'D PROTECT YOU
JESSIE...
ANYWAY YOUR CARE-TAKER IS ABANDONING YOU AGAIN
CAN I PUNCH THIS GOOD-FOR-NOTHING IDIOT PRIEST?
RANDY--SAN? PLEASE WAKE UP...
ZZZZZ
I can't think anymore
Right on the side the whole time


Character Introduction
~ part 2
Eagle Schneider (24)
Sometimes I regret giving him a haircut that's so hard to draw.
He's a fine certain who's very hard to draw in so many ways. His silver hair, his army uniform but I do like his white gloves a lot!!!
Everyone got so disheartened about the fact that he had a wife in the past. But I think it's not that weird for a handsome and diligent man to be married.
He's a male widow
#lewahs#
For this volume, I made this earring as a prize. I was so inspired ///
I will give this out for chapter 1 and 5 (not more than that)
They are descendants of former robbers slaughtering countless Blue Doctors for their blood.
In some parts of the empire, there are not enough blue doctors
I told you to rest because your back's still sore, and yet you still went and lifted heavy things!
I'm so ashamed of myself...
The Garicalegs escape from the watchful eye of the police, steal the blood of the Blue Doctors, and sell them at the black market.

IF ANYTHING BAD HAPPENS, PLEASE CALL OUT MY NAME.
DOCTOR ...
...But...?
FLAP
Ski! Ski!
I WILL INFORM YOU IF I FEEL LIKE SOMETHING BAD IS GOING TO HAPPEN.
AND I WILL CALL THE PATROLLING SOLDIERS.
You're doing great, Doctor!
You too!
I WILL ALWAYS BE BY YOUR SIDE.
SO PLEASE DON'T MIND ME.
THIS IS SO THAT YOU CAN ALWAYS FEEL SAFE WHILE DOING YOUR DUTIES AS A DOCTOR
I RESPECT YOU AS MUCH AS I DO EAGLE-SAMA...
He's always watching over me.

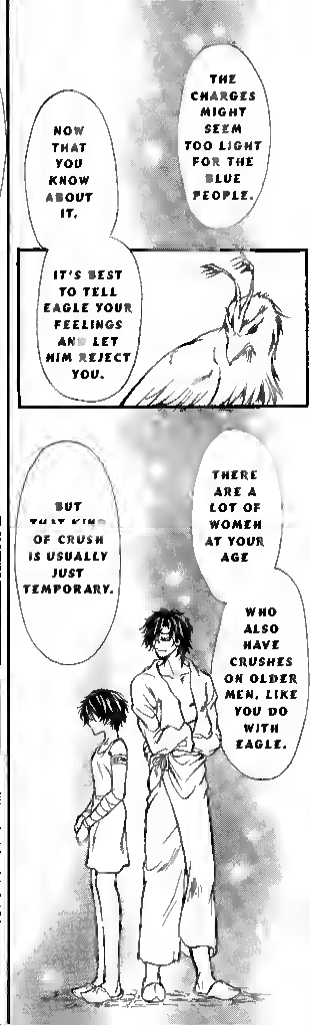
When I'm attending to my patients,
she chonges the color of her wings to adapt herself to her surroundings
YUUN
You don't need to use "-san".
I'll do my best!
OKAY!
THANK YOU, SIERRA-SAN!
she chonges her feathers into a silver calor
Sometimes, to calm me down,
FROU FROU
CLANCE
Just like

Eagle-san himself is watching over me.
Eagle-san's hair Its as if
THE SMELL'S FILLING UP THE ENTIRE PLACE!
WHY ARE YOU MAKING SUCH STRONG SMELLING HERBAL MEDICINES SO EARLY IN THE MORNING?
HEY, HEY, JESSIE ...!
I'm still sleepy
MIN MIN
RANDY-SAN.
SORRY ...
HMM? WHAT THE HELL...? THIS ONE'S SLEEPING.
I DON'T REALLY MIND BUT...
I FORGOT TO PREPARE THIS PAIN-KILLING MEDICINE LAST NIGHT.
Then I have to mix it with my Ramun
YAWWWWN
HE'S GOING TO PREPARE A MEAL FOR YOU SOON
SO HE TOLD ME TO ASK YOU WHAT YOU WANTED TO EAT.
BY THE WAY, HAS EAGLE TOLD YOU ALREADY?
SCRATCH SCRATCH-
AHH, OKAY, OKAY. I SEE.
I was only half asleep
I'M AWAKE-
HEHEH-
STARE

He remembered
BLUSH
NOM NOM
ANYTHING IS FINE AS LONG AS ITS COOKED BY EAGLE-SAN.
I don't have any preference
WELL, FOR ME...
Eagle-san mentioned it before
Sure!
EEEN N?!
DOKIN
TWITCH
YOU SHOULD JUST CONFESS TO HIM ALREADY.
GEEZ, YOU'RE TALKING IN CIRCLES.
AWW, COME ON. I WAS JUST KIDDING.
BUT EVEN IF YOU DO CONFESS TO HIM
THERE'S NO REASON FOR HIM TO ACCEPT.
ACK! THE STEW IS BOILING OVER!!!
WHAA-AAAT?! WHAT ARE YOU SAYING ?!
YOU CAN SAY, "PLEASE COOK ME INSTEAD, EAGLE-SAN" ..... OR BETTER YET,
BOOOM
Shock
Boil
Boil

THE BLUE PERSON DOESN'T GET ANY PUNISHMENT
TO PROTECT THEIR BLUE BLOOD,
IF A BLUE PERSON AND A CITIZEN OF THIS EMPIRE BECOME LOVERS,
THEN THE CITIZEN FROM THE EMPIRE, WHETHER A MAN OR WOMAN WILL BE PUNISHED AND SENT TO PRISON
NO MATTER HOW THEY FELL IN LOVE,
THE CITIZEN OF THE EMPIRE WOULD ALWAYS BE BRANDED AS THE DECEIVER IN THE RELATIONSHIP.
AND IF THE COUPLE DECIDES TO ELOPE AND CARRY SOMEWHERE ELSE,
NO MATTER HOW FAR AWAY THEY ARE FROM THE EMPIRE THEY WILL ALWAYS BE CONDEMNED THEIR WHOLE LIVES.
This is all to preserve the blood of the Blue People.

IT SEEMS LIKE HE NOTICED IT, TOO.
IT'S BEST TO FORGET ABOUT IT.
DOCTOR, SINCE YOUR ROUNDS ARE ALREADY FINISHED FOR THE DAY,
WE SHOULD GO BACK HOME..


THE CHARGES MIGHT SEEM TOO LIGHT FOR THE BLUE PEOPLE.
NOW THAT YOU KNOW ABOUT IT,
IT'S BEST TO TELL EAGLE YOUR FEELINGS AND LET HIM REJECT YOU.
THERE ARE A LOT OF WOMEN AT YOUR AGE
WHO ALSO HAVE CRUSHES ON OLDER MEN, LIKE YOU DO WITH EAGLE.
BUT [illegible] OF CRUSH IS USUALLY JUST TEMPORARY.

I
Could my feelings just be a simple crush?
I
don't really know a lot about Eagle-san
I didn't know about his deceased wife, or any details about him
ANY CITIZEN OF THIS EMPIRE WHO BREAKS THE LAW WILL GET PERSECUTED.
WITH WHAT RANDY-SAMA SAID, I DO AGREE.
IT'S BEST FOR YOU TO LEARN TO LOVE HIM, WHOEVER HE IS.
SOONER OR LATER, YOU ARE GOING TO MARRY SOMEONE FROM YOUR OWN CLAN.
I THINK YOU SHOULD CONSIDER THE PRIDE AND THE RESPONSIBILITY OF INHERITING THE BLOOD OF THE BLUE RAMUN.

If I do tell Eagle-san how I feel
and he accepts my confession,
SO THEN THERE SHOULD BE NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT
BUT... I...
... TRUE ... BUT ...
... THAT'S ...
I'll only end up hurting him!
I CAN'T TELL HIM
But
THERE'S NO REASON FOR ME TO TELL HIM

I'M GOING TO REPORT THIS TO EAGLE. IT'S MY JOB TO DO SO...
IN THE MEAN TIME ITS BEST TO PULL AWAY.
JUST GIVE UP ON HIM AS GRACEFULLY AS YOU CAN.
Don't look at me
SHE HAS THE SAME PURPLE EYES
AND THE SAME SILVER HAIR AS EAGLE-SAN'S...
PLEASE

DON'T TELL HIM!
SPLISH
DOCTOR?!
splash
splash
WHERE ARE YOU GOING?!

But
EAGLE-SAN STILL LOVES HIS DEAD WIFE.
I knew it
I knew it since the beginning
DOCTOR ...!!!
IT HAD ALWAYS BEEN JUST A ONE-SIDED LOVE FOR ME
WHAT ...?
YOU LOST SIGHT OF JESSIE...?!
IT SEEMS LIKE SHE HAS NOT GONE BACK TO HER HOUSE YET
MY DEEPEST APOLOGIES, EAGLE-SAMA

I was disrespectful to Sierra-san...
STOP IT.
THIS IS NOT JUST SIERRA'S FAULT.
steps in
WHAT THE HELL WERE YOU
YOU CAN'T FIND HER?!
WE NEED TO FIND HER THIS INSTANT!!!
RATHER THAN FIGHTING ABOUT THIS.
How did I end up here, of all places?!
sniff
.....?
Nothing good will happen
if I just run away...
I HAVE TO GO BACK...

Where...
Am I...?
I just ran off without thinking! Now I'm lost!
What is this...?
It seems like they're setting up shops...
...THAT'S PURE BLUE RAMUN BLOOD, SIR.
SCRAWK
SO EXPENSIVE...
ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE NOT JUST SCAMMING ME AND SELLING SHEEP'S BLOOD?
SCRAWK
Why are they selling blood?
But it's prohibited to ensure the Blue People's safety.

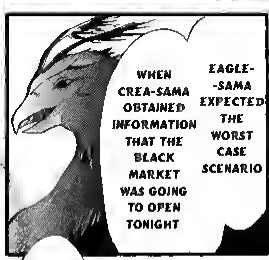
Black Market!!!
IS THIS THE GARI"CALE"GE'S...
...WHAT DO WE HAVE HERE?
CHILL
sneak
sneak
WHO SEEMS TO BE LOST IN THE CROWD.
A CUTE GIRL WITH BLUE EYES
Give it to us!
GIVE US...
YOUR BLOOD!

!!
BARG
I'm DONE FOR...!
DOCTOR ...
whisper
HOLD IT JUST A WHILE LONGER.
THEY'RE GOING TO SQUEEZE EVERY OUNCE OF MY BLOOD!
... UGH ...!
FALLS DOWN
THIS SMELL ...!

SHEEHH
RUN!
THE EFFECTS OF THAT INCENSE WON'T LAST LONG.
DASH
SO, YOU GOT LOST IN THIS AREA?
SIERRA -SAN ...
UM... WHO ARE YOU...?
FLAP
I HAVE BEEN DOING INVESTI-GATIONS IN THIS PLACE WITH SIERR -SAN.
EVEN BEFORE YOU CAME TO THIS TOWN.
FLIP

THE CAPTAIN IS WAITING OUTSIDE.
Eagle-san

YOU ARE THE CAPTAIN'S ...
TAKI
TAKI
I'M CREA, DOCTOR.


WHEN CREA-SAMA OBTAINED INFORMATION THAT THE BLACK MARKET WAS GOING TO OPEN TONIGHT
EAGLE--SAMA EXPECTED THE WORST CASE SCENARIO

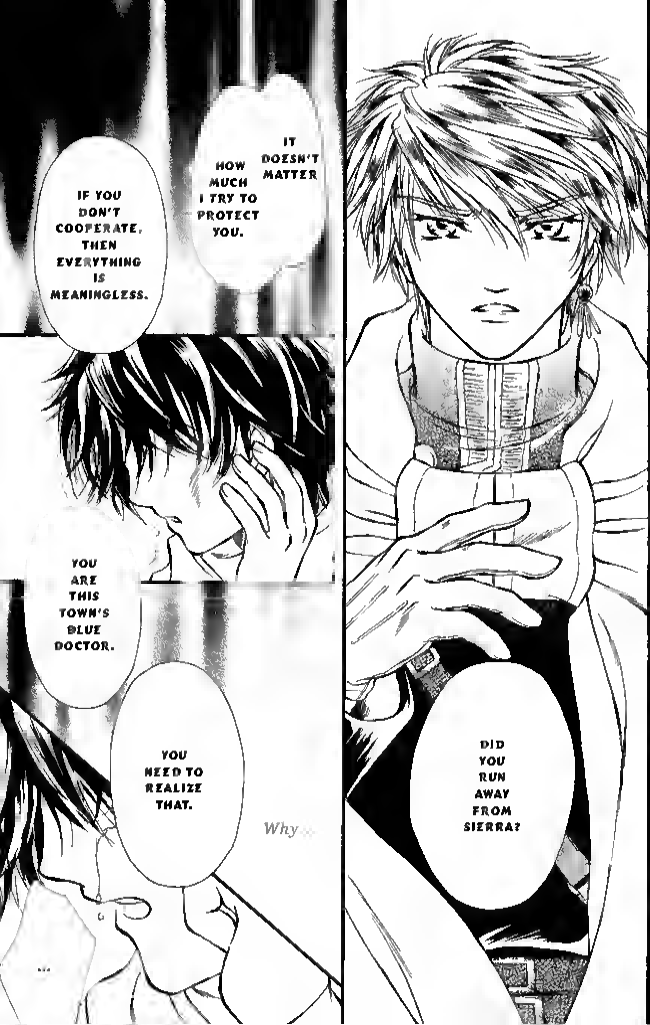
SO I FLEW HERE.

...GOOD WORK, CREA.
YES SIR. MY SECRET INVESTIGATION MAY HAVE BEEN CUT OFF
BUT AT LEAST WE WERE ALL ABLE TO GET OUT SAFELY
PLEASE GO HOME AND REST.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION.
GO TELL THE OTHER SOLDIERS THAT WE'VE FOUND THE DOCTOR AND THAT SHE'S SAFE.
SIERRA,
AS YOU WISH
NOD

YOU CAN SEND ME YOUR REPORT TOMORROW.
YES SIR.
I'LL BE GOING THEN.

He hasn't looked at me
since I got here.
UM...?

SLAP
WHY


DID YOU RUN AWAY FROM SIERRA?
IT DOESN'T MATTER
HOW MUCH I TRY TO PROTECT YOU.
IF YOU DON'T COOPERATE, THEN EVERYTHING IS MEANINGLESS.
YOU ARE THIS TOWN'S BLUE DOCTOR.
YOU NEED TO REALIZE THAT.
Why...

I'm such a disgrace
...You're such an idiot, Eagle-san!!!
I'm a failure.
I am—
You didn't need to tell me that! I already know that!!!

I
A.III
I'M ALWAYS BOTHERING YOU.
thum
thump
I ALWAYS INTERRUPT YOU FROM YOUR WORK.
I'VE MADE YOU SO ANGRY.
I'M SORRY...

... I'M SORRY TOO.
FOR OVERREACTING.
AND YOU ARE MISTAKEN.
I NEVER ONCE THOUGHT OF YOU AS A BOTHER
RATHER...

SO SOMETIMES, I SLIP UP.
I THINK OF YOU AS A LITTLE SISTER WHO'S VERY HARD TO TAKE CARE OF.
PAT
WHA...? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
RATHER WHAT...?
RA...
I JUST WANTED TO LIGHTEN UP THE MOOD A BIT..
—THOUGH I CAN'T DO IT THE WAY RANDY CAN.
I'M SORRY, JESSIE.
SHOCK
SO I REALLY AM A BOTHER...
I JUST MEANT IT AS A LIGHT JOKE.
NO. ACTUALLY I CAN'T REMEMBER TELLING ANY OTHER JOKE IN MY LIFE.
EAGLE--SAN, I DIDN'T KNOW YOU COULD ACTUALLY TELL JOKES..

No matter what they say...
.....
I CAN'T DENY THE FACT...
Does your cheek still hurt?
I'm because of my healing recovery power
that I like him

OUR APOLOGIES, ROWAN-SAMA.
I WONDER HOW THEY FOUND OUT ABOUT OUR OPERATIONS
—SEEMS LIKE THOSE DOGS FROM THE POLICE FORCE WERE ABLE TO INFILTRATE OUR AREA.
HMPH! ABANDON "THAT" FOR THE MEAN TIME.
EVEN THAT BLUE DOCTOR MANAGED TO ESCAPE ...
THEY'RE PLANNING TO INTERFERE WITH OUR OPERATIONS.
LEZAK'S POLICE IS NOW READYING ON GOING FULL FORCE.
FIRST AND FOREMOST, WHY DON'T WE PAY A VISIT TO EAGLE ...?
THEY'RE PLANNING AN ALL-OUT ATTACK ON THE GARICALEGE.
AND THEN ... AFTER A FEW DAYS ...

HMM? WHERE'S THAT NICE SMELL COMING FROM...?
SNIFF
SNIFF
I'M HOME
WELCOME HOME, JESSIE!
!?
EAGLE-SAN...?
I TOLD RANDT I'D BE COMING OVER TO PREPARE SOME FOOD.
SORRY IF I SCARED YOU.
YOU SAID YOU DIDN'T HAVE ANY SPECIAL REQUEST SO...
I PREPARED A STAMINA DISH #2 TO INCREASE BLOOD IN YOUR BODY.
*especially for Blue People
SHINE
WHOOOA
CLAP
CLAP
CLAP
By the way does Rabby cook for you?
Umm sometimes

Her color changes when she gets overwhelmed...
YOU.. SHOULD NOT HAVE DONE THAT, DOCTOR..
EAGLE-SAN PREPARED A SPECIAL HOME-COOKED MEAL FOR ME!
SIERRA-SAN!!!
HUG
!!
WHEN I GET HUGGED BY YOU..
WITHER
WHAT? YOU DION'T KNOW?
SNUGO BIRDS HAVE A STRONG REACTION TO THE BLUE RAMUN'S HEALING POWERS.
THEY START FEELING VERY RELAXED
AND THEN FALL ASLEEP
Though most animals also have the same reaction
Went out to buy sake
DARLING
GEEZ, IT'S FINE AS LONG AS SHE DOESN'T HUG HER
And she normally doesn't do that anyway
THEN THAT MEANS...
THAT'S RIGHT
She won't be able to protect Jesse
Sorry
IN THE END, SIERRA-SAN COMPLETELY DEVOTED HERSELF TO HER JOB IN THE PUBLIC WORKS.
...Eagle-san's home-cooked meal was

Please
still stay with me
even if I know
that my wish will never come true
very delicious!
Delicious
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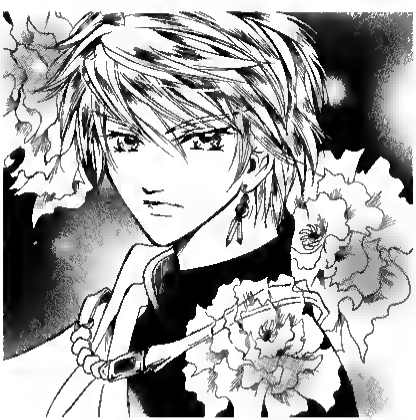
Chapter 5



..SHE'S HERE AGAIN
THAT KID, KILLY...
I KNOW HOW SHE FEELS...
BUT... YOU KNOW...
...HEY!!!
DIDN'T I ALREADY TELL YOU TO GET OUT OF HERE?!
I HEARD SHE WANTS TO BRING HER TERMINALLY-ILL BROTHER TO AN ORPHANAGE HERE.
SO MAYBE SHE CAN HAVE A BLUE DOCTOR TAKE A LOOK AT HIM.

..WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME LIKE THAT?
YOU STILL HAVE A FATHER.
FILTHY KID FROM THE SALAAM SLUMS...!!!
SO I CAN'T TAKE YOU IN OUR ORPHANAGE.
I HAVE NO MERCY FOR THIEVES!!!
DON'T EVER COME BACK AGAIN!!!
PUSH!
THE BLUE DOCTOR IS WAITING AT THE BACK DOOR.
MASTER.
SLAM
SNIFF SNIFF

PAT PAT
YOU ARE ALWAYS TAKING CARE OF OUR CHILDREN. IT'S THE LEAST WE CAN DO.
OH NO, IT'S FINE. COME ON IN.
I'M SORRY FOR ALWAYS PASSING THROUGH. IT'S JUST MORE CONVENIENT FOR ME TO PASS THROUGH THIS ORPHANAGE TO GET TO THE BACK PART OF TOWN...
THE CHILDREN ARE WAITING IN THE RECEPTION AREA. I'LL LEAVE EVERYTHING TO YOU.
WARU WARU
KYAA
DOCTOR JESSIE-SAN.
LET ME USE SOME SLEEP POWDER.
PUFF
HEY, HEY! STAND STILL!
OPEN YOUR MOUTH AND LET THE DOCTOR CHECK FOR CAVITIES!
PANIC
PANIC
PANIC

There
Now!
IT'S A LOT OF SMOKE BUT THIS WILL ONLY TAKE A WHILE...
The 'Blue Ramun'
can cure any illness

With the blood that I have inherited from my ancestors... I have become a Blue Doctor.
We lived and were trained in caravans in the desert until we turned 15 years old.
Now, I have been assigned as the main doctor of the Lezak District.
Munch munch
Treating children all day long really takes its toll.
I need to rest for a bit...
Pause

BUT TO GO BACK HOME, I HAVE TO PASS BY THESE RUINS...
THE SALAAM SLUMS...
I can't help but feel guilty
The people in this area
DOCTOR
PLEASE ...HELP US...
cannot pay the required medical tax
Which means I'm not allowed to treat them...
...WAIT.

MY BROTHER HAS HAEMOPHILIA.*
MY NAME IS KILLY.
Ah...
STEPS
TREMBLE
BLOOD CAN'T STOP SEEPING OUT OF HIS WOUNDS
HE'S GETTING WEAKER AND WEAKER...
A PRIEST ON A CHURCH MISSION CAME HERE AND DIAGNOSED HIM
BUT NOW EVEN THE PRESCRIPTIONS HE GAVE DON'T WORK ANYMORE..
JESSIE JACKSON-SAMA, BLUE DOCTOR...
PLEASE... IF THERE'S ANY WAY YOU CAN HELP HIM. .
*Haemophilia or hemophilia is the name of a family of hereditary genetic disorders that impair the body's ability to control blood clotting or coagulation.

DON'T GET YOUR FACE TOO CLOSE!
HE'LL...
HE NEEDS YOUR RAMUNE!!
IF LAU DOESN'T STOP BLEEDING, HE'LL...
His life is in danger.
I have to save him.
I'M GOING TO HELP HIM.
... ...
...OKAY.
NO, YOU'RE NOT.
TH... THIS
HIS MEDICAL CERTIFICATE...

FAKE MEDICAL CERTIFI-CATES.
THESE HAVE BEEN GOING AROUND SALAAM SLUMS FOR A WHILE NOW
DON'T LET THEM DECEIVE YOU. JESSIE.
EAGLE-SAN...!
YES.
CAPTAIN!!!
TAKE HER BACK TO THE SLUMS. FIND OUT WHERE SHE GOT THAT FAKE CERTIFICATE!
ZAAA
RESTRAIN HER!!!
YURI!!! KAIZEL!!!

I JUST NEEDED A BIT MORE TIME.
SO YOU'RE FROM THE ARMY POLICE, HUH...
.....
MAKE SURE SHE DOESN'T GET NEAR THE BLUE DOCTOR.
NOW GO AND DO AS INSTRUCTED.
DAMN YOU.....
...

Character Introduction
~Third one
Randy Wirgman (30)
A sultry and charming man... (???)
I really like drawing him as an easygoing old man. Though he's a regular character he hasn't been appearing much because the two main characters are taking up most of everything. I had to hold myself back... Is it because I couldn't draw him or because I just forgot to draw him? I'm probably just drunk. *laughs*
The tobacco is an essential item for Ron-san. This one's a Japanese antique-style.
He smokes on and off.
CAPTAIN
WE HAVE A LEAD ON THE MANUFACTURER OF THE MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.
OKAY, LET'S GO.
..WHY...?
WHY.. DO YOU HAVE TO DO THIS...?
... JESSIE... THIS IS MY JOB.
WE CAN'T CONDONE THESE SELFISH ACTS.

Just what did I expect Eagle-san to do?!
BY GIVING YOUR BLOOD TO A RESIDENT OF THE SALAAM SLUMS,
DON'T YOU THINK IT'S UNFAIR TO THOSE WHO PROPERLY PAID FOR MEDICAL TAX?
DON'T MOCK OUR PEOPLE WITH FAKE KINDNESS.

To hold me and whisper kind words?
Why did I expect him to hold me?!
I just
wanted to cure people by giving them my blood, no matter how painful it is.
That's the only thing I live for.

I wanted to help her
because she had no one left to turn to
and nowhere else to go—
AHH, SO EAGLE SAID SOMETHING THAT HARSH.
..RANDY-SAN ..YOU HELPED THE PEOPLE OF SALAAM SLUMS BEFORE, DIDN'T YOU ..?
WELL, YEAH, IT'S PART OF MY JOB AS A PRIEST.
HE PROBABLY JUST DID THAT SO YOU WON'T REPEAT THE SAME MISTAKE.

SO THAT'S WHY THE MEDICINE ON THE SHELF KEEPS RUNNING OUT...
The batteries seem to...
Has been living with him but never met lead
BLUSH
THERE, THERE. IT'S NOT LIKE I CAN USE MY BLOOD FOR HEALING.
THOUGHT IT WOULD BE BETTER TO MIX THOSE HERBAL MEDICINES WITH YOUR RAMUN
But I can't.
?
Empty!
Stocked up
WELL ANYWAY, JUST FORGET ABOUT KILLT.
...RANDY-SAN...
WHAT DOES REAL KINDNESS...
TRULY MEAN...?
SO YOU'VE THOUGHT ABOUT THAT TOO, HUH?
.. IT'S ABOUT TIME.

YOU CAN'T ASK OTHER PEOPLE FOR ANSWERS.
OF COURSE YOU CAN ALSO LOOK AT THE SCRIPTURES FOR ANSWERS.
BUT THEY'RE NOT GOING TO HELP YOU AT THIS POINT.
ANYWAY, I'M NOT REALLY A KIND PERSON,
SO I DON'T HAVE ANY ANSWERS FOR YOU.
HERE'S WHAT I WAS ABLE TO STEAL IN THE MARKET TODAY, DAD.
THUD

I DON'T SEE ANY GUT LEAVES HERE ..
OI...
DIDN'T I TELL YOU TO NEVER TALKBACK AT ME?!
I'VE TOLD YOU THAT 12 TIMES ALREADY AND YOU STILL DON'T GET IT!
ONE MORE AND I'LL MAKE SURE IT'LL BE THE END OF YOU!
GRAB
...IF THEY DON'T HAVE THE HYPNOTISM MEDICINE IN THE BLACK MARKET, THERE'S NO OTHER WAY I'D BE ABLE TO GET IT.
BUT I WAS ABLE TO PICK UP ANOTHER FAKE MEDICAL CERTIFICATE...

KILLY-ONEECHAN...
.....
I'M SORRY I WASN'T ABLE TO TAKE YOU OUT THIS AFTERNOON, LAU.
CAN YOU EAT FRUITS...?
...DON'T...
WORRY...
ABOUT ME...
HUH...?
I DON'T WANT TO CAUSE ANYMORE TROUBLE...
FOR YOU AND DAD...
YOU IDIOT!!!
YOU TOLD ME YOU WANTED TO GROW UP TO BE A PRIEST SO YOU CAN HELP PEOPLE LIKE US!
BUT OF COURSE THAT RANDY GUY WASN'T REALLY VERY GOOD AT HIS JOB.
Sorry
SIGH

I can't do onything!
YOU CAN... I KNOW YOU CAN...
...HU...
All I can do is look ot hm helplessly
as he suffers in his illness

WOULD NEVER HAVE ENOUGH MONEY TO ENTER SCHOOL AND BE A PRIEST.
A KID FROM THE SLUMS
...HE HEH...

"You still have a father,"
BITE
IT'S PROBABLY EASIER TO JUST DROP DEAD
WE'RE JUST EYESORES TO EVERYONE ELSE

DOKUN
'so I can't take you in our orphanage.'
That's RIGHT.

If dad's gone, this will all end...
flip
NOT EVEN DAWN YET
...IT'S

What is this impulse coming over me?
Huff
Huff
Even if they end up questioning my actions,
I just can't leave that kid alone!

I JUST
...?
...
SLASH
...Y-...
...YOU...!
stagger
HAVE ALWAYS ...
TRIED TO HOLD EVERYTHING IN...
I'D RATHER HAVE YOU DIE THAN LAU ..
YOUR MOTHER DIED HAVING THE SAME ILLNESS AS THAT KID...
BUT YOU NEVER DID ANYTHING FOR HER...

BUT NOW...
I PUT GUT MEDICINE IN YOUR FOOD...
GOODBYE, DAD.
U...
UWA AAA AAH ...!!!
!
A screaming voice...?!
.....
DOKUN
!?....

DOKUN
DOKUN
DOKUN

THUD
FAINT
N...
NO...
CLANG
...WH-...
KILLY...
YOU... DIDN'T GET ME...
THAT BLUE DOCTOR...
AH..
ARE YOU HERE ...?
WHY...
DUN

GYAAAAH...
DASH
...KI...
SHINK
...KILLY...
WH...
WHY...?!
WHY DID YOU HAVE TO INTERFERE?!
JUST WHEN I WAS ABOUT TO...!!!
MY BLOOD...

MY BLOOD... GIVE IT TO YOUR BROTHER...
TO LAU-KUN...
TAKE HIM... HERE...

FLINCH
UGH..
ROLL
DASH
(HURP)
(HURP)
JESSIE.....
I know
that I can't heal a thousand lives
But all...
with just a few drops of blood

I wanted to do
THAT'S THE ONLY THING
I JUST CAN'T LEAVE THEM ALONE.

KILLY TURNED HERSELF OVER TO THE POLICE.
HER FATHER DISAPPEARED AFTER THAT. NO ONE KNOWS WHERE HE IS.
LAU WILL BE ALL RIGHT, THANKS TO YOUR BLOOD.
AND THANKS TO HIS SISTER'S PERSISTENCE, THEY ACCEPTED HIM IN THE ORPHANAGE.
EVERYONE IN TOWN'S TALKING ABOUT IT.
HOW A GIRL FROM THE SALAAM SLUMS STABBED THE BLUE DOCTOR.
THE ELDERS ARE FURIOUS.
BUT THE GENERAL PUBLIC ARE MORE CONCERNED ABOUT THE CRIME THAN THE CRIMINAL HERSELF
THEY JUST WANT AN ASSURANCE THAT THE BLUE DOCTOR WILL BE PROTECTED FROM NOW O=
KILLY WILL BE LOCKED UP IN PRISON FOR A FEW YEARS AFTER HER WOUNDS ARE TENDED TO.

.. RANDY-SAN..
I...
IF YOU'RE ASKING ME WHAT'S RIGHT OR WRONG,
I JUST CAN'T ANSWER THAT

Ha ha
Ha ha
HMM?
YOU CAN CALL ME JESSIE, LAU-KUN
... DOCTOR
LAST NIGHT,
ONEECHAN SNEAKED IN HERE WITH A GUARD,
TO SAY GOODBYE TO ME BEFORE SHE GOES TO JAIL
SO SHE'S STOPPING BY YOUR CLINIC TODAY...
SHE SAID ALSO WANTS TO MEET YOU ONE LAST TIME...
DASH!

JESSIE...
PLEASE,
DON'T HATE MY SISTER...

DOKI
CLANK
.....
JESSIE...
I'M SORRY FOR STABBING YOU.

AND ALSO...
THANK YOU FOR SAVING LAU.

...THAT'S THE ONLY THING I CAME IN TO SAY.
GOODBYE.

DIDN'T YOU SEND A PROPOSAL TO THE ELDERS TO GUARANTEE JOBS FOR THE PEOPLE OF SALAAM SLUMS?
TROT
TROT
EAGLE.
I ALWAYS HAD TROUBLE TRYING TO GET THEM TO LISTEN TO ME.
I'M BUSY TRY TO Understand that!
I'LL ALSO GET THE CHANCE TO MEASURE THE IMPROVEMENT OF PEACE AND ORDER IN THE TOWN.
BUT NOW I CAN USE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO TALK ABOUT IT AGAIN.

IT'S GOING TO BE A LONG ROAD.
I KNOW THAT, BUT...
WELL, WITH THAT, THEY'LL FINALLY BE ABLE TO PAY FOR MEDICAL TAX.
WE CAN'T JUST LEAVE THEM ALONE LIKE THIS,
CAN WE?
YOU'VE GROWN VERY WELL.
I DON'T!!!
PLEASE
MASTER.
PLEASE DON'T BULLY LAU-KUN.
His true character is revealed.

Final Words

I think I got the idea of "healing with blood" from another book where they purified wounds with blood "Romun" way a word I from the Arabic word for "blood". which way actually "Dama" (It's written like this)... but I misread it as "Romun" (I just deciphered the language through self-study) In the world I created, people speak in a mix of English and Arabic... but I never really thought of any specific laws for this world Everyday I talk to my editor on the phone because there a lot of things I always get worried about with this manga, and he always thinks up of solutions for me

An editor's job must be though!!!

Well then, I hope we can meet again soon

Thank you for reading until here

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Comments

The social situat on regarding any future relationsh p between Eagle and Jesse is finally revealed! I guess the Jesse x Eagle shippers will be d sappo nted. Well, there s always the lecherous Randy! ^_^ I swear he gets more fun (and lecherous) with each new chapter!

On a side note, I d love to have a bird like Sierra. I wonder what she eats

RAWR
Why won't you release the next chapter?!
Can I help you?
What can I do to help?
Fan Girl
It's not like YOU helped out any...
We don't have enough translators or editors
Cross-eyed attempt
Visit our website for details
Find us some translators and editors and you'll have your next chapter
http://www.aerandria.net